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AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.312

This paper is responsive to the Notice of Allowance mailed <u>July 17, 2008</u>, having a statutory period for payment of issue fee and publication fee ending three months thereafter on <u>October 17, 2008</u>. As will be described in more detail, Applicant respectfully requests amendments after the Notice of Allowance pursuant to 37 CFR 1.312.

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RELEVANT PROSECUTION HISTORY

Amendment filed January 12, 2004

- cancelled apparatus & program product claims & non-allowed claims
- accepted allowed method claims 11 and 14

Notice of Allowance mailed <u>July 17, 2008</u> - allowed <u>method claims 11 and 14</u> Issue Fee due <u>October 17, 2008</u>